NOTICE

Commonwealth of Virginia,
Appomattox County.

In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 2, Chap. 37, Acts of 1927, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Appomattox County will meet April 9th, 1941, at 10 a. m., at the Court House, Appomattox County, Va. Citizens will be heard for and against the following estimates of Revenues and Expenditures at that time.

ESTIMATE OF REVENUES AND BORROWINGS, Year ending June 30, 1942.

County Revenues.	
Anticipated Surplus	$ 300.00
Capitation Tax, Delinquent Taxes and Lands Redeemed	2,250.00
Sale of Property, Land Tramfers and Refunds	175.00
Share of A. B. C. Board Profits	8,000.00
Share of Trial Justice Compensation & Fees of T. J. Office	1,300.00
Interest and Other Miscellaneous Revenues	300.00
From State, for Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, Blind, General Relief & Administration	9,356.81
From Fed. Government, for Old Age Assistance, Dependent Children, Blind, Administration &c 100.00	24,387.31
	$ 55,031 36

ESTIMATE OF PROPOSED EXPENDITURES—General County Fund, year ending June 30, 1942

Board of Supervisors- Compensation, Auditing &c	995.00
Commissioner of Revenue- Compensation, mileage, Deputy, and Office supplies	1,892.00
Examiner of Records- Compensation	15.00
County Treasurers Office- Compensation of self- Deputies, Bond premiums, Stationery & Office supplies	5,457 00
County Clerk- Compensation, supplies for office, Telephone and auditing	1,730.00
Circuit Court- Compensation of Judge, Jurors, Jury Comrs. and Special Attys	744.11
Trial Justice- Compensation & Exp. of Office	1,352.00
Commonwealth Attorney- Compensation and expense of office.	713.00
Sheriff's Office- Compensation & Expense of office	713.00
Coroner- Compensation & Expense of office	216.00
Capture, Confinement & Care of Prisoners &c	200.00
Forest Fire Protection -Fire Extinction	
Board of Public Welfare- Compensation & Mileage of members	320.00
Superintendent, Assistants & Administration	4,621.00
Public Assistance- General Relief, contribs. to aged, blind, Child welfare &c	20,454.00
Other Welfare Relief & Contributions to Welfare Organizations	565.00
Probation Officer- Compensation	100.00
Lunacy Commissions- Compensation of Members & Witnesses	250.00
Public Health- Vaccines, quarantine & Vital Statistic fees	330 00
Agriculture & Home Economics- Compensation of Agents &c	2,310.00
Elections- Compensation of Election Officials, Printing &c	950.00
Buildings & Grounds- Janitor, fuel, Electric current, water, cleaning materials &c	2,110.00
Roads- Compensation of Viewers & Commissioners &c	25.00
Miscellaneous Operating Functions- Inc. Supt. of Schools sys., Publishing documents, Emergencies &c	1,487.22
Capitol Outlay- Furniture, fixtures, & Other equipment	250.00
Debt Service- Yearly payments on Appomattox & Pamplin School debts &c	5,923.00
Estimated Delinquents-	3,273.00
	$ 55,031.36

DOG TAX FUND

To 85% of Dog License (Taxes	$ 1,300.00

ESTIMATE O F EXPENDITURES :

Compensation of Game Warden	300.00
Record Book & Tags	75.00
Bounty Claims	400.00
Stock & Fowls Killed by Dogs	165.60
Rabies Treatment	50.00
Unclassified- Transfer to General or School Fund	310.09
	$ 1,300.00

ESTIMATE OF SCHOOL REVENUES FOR YEAR ENDING June 30, 1942

Supplement from State Funds	$ 50,667.14
County Levy	34,212.70
Interest and Principal on Literary Loan Fund	6,094.00
Miscellaneous (Gifts, Rents, Tuition, Del. Taxes etc.)	4,100.00
From Dog Tax, ABC, Special Appropriations, etc.	2,500.00
From Supervisors 1-2 Superintendent's salary	895.00
From Supervisors for County Library	900.00
Tentative Temporary Loan -(See note)	4,482.35
Total Receipts	$103,361.19

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES

Compensation of Board Members, Clerk, Postage, Telegrams, Long Distance Calls	726.00
Stationery, Office Supplies & Equipment, Secretary, Traveling expenses, etc.	740.00
Compensation of Superintendent	1,610.00
Compensation of all Teachers	59,247.18
Other Instructional costs- Laboratory supplies; Tuition, Manual Training and Home Economics supplies; free textbooks, libraries, teaching materials and general supplies	2,750.00
Transportation of Pupils	21,518.01
Auxiliary Agencies, Cafeterias, hauling, community activities, etc.	350.00
Coordinate Activities	450.00
Operation and Maintenance of School Plants, Janitors, coal and wood, electric current, water, insurance, rents, janitors supplies, repairs to buildings, upkeep of grounds	8,048.00
Capitol Outlay	900 00
Debt Service (Principal and Interest	6,822.00
Total Expenditures	$ 103,361.19

Note— Tentative (Temporary Loan above mentioned, is conditioned upon Legislative appropriation for the following year, 1942-1943, as there is a loan of possibly $9,500.00 to finish the School term of 1940-1941.

Grand total, all expenditures $159,692.55

DON MOSES, Chairman, Board of Supervisors
C. W. SMITH, Clerk

Vegetable Laxative With Proved Feature

The punctual, satisfying relief from constipation and its headaches, biliousness, bad breath, so often experienced by users of this laxative, is mainly due to its combination of purely vegetable ingredients.

BLACK-DRAUGHT'S principal ingredient has high medical recognition as an intestinal tonic-laxative'; helps impart tone to lazy bowel muscles.

A little of this spicy, aromatic product by simple directions at bedtime, generally allows time for a good night's rest; acts gently and thoroughly next morning.

Next time, take time-tested, economical BLACK-DRAUGHT.

Appomattox needs boosters.
Appomattox is a growing town.

PARAMOUNT

Friday — Saturday
JUDY GARLAND
'LITTLE NELLIE KELLY'
George Murphy
Charles Winninger

Starting Sunday
JAMES CAGNEY
'STRAWBERRY BLONDE"

Pre-Easter Showing

Visit our Mezzanine Floor this week! We have new

●DRESSES —SWEATERS —BLOUSES —COATS —HATS —SKIRTS AT REASONABLE PRICES

We also have hundreds of good values on our Main Floor.
Also a number of Week-End Specials

INGE'S 5c to $1 STORE

Notice to Town Taxpayers

The Treasurer has been instructed to place all past due tax accounts due the Town in the hands of an attorney for collection. Those who are behind with their taxes please settle at once and save the expense of court.

J. W. CAWTHON, Treas.

Citizens of Town of Appomattox

1941 License plates for auto vehicles are now on sale. The law requires you to procure such license plates before April 15th and and keep same on your car or truck. Price $3.00.
The Sgt. will be in his office every day, Sunday excepted, between now and April 15th, from 3 to 5:30 P. M. and will also accomodate you at any other time you see him. Penalty enforced after April 15th, 1941.

J. W. CAWTHON, Sgt.

CLASSIFIED ADS

SPRING FRYERS!

Fifty cents per chicken, while they last, Friday and Saturday.

W. P. FERRELL'S RESIDENCE

FOR SALE or TRADE for cattle —1 pair bay horses 4 or 5 years old; 1 pair mares, good workers. can be bought on good terms.
L. E. SMITH

Notice: Let us furnish your next Rubber Stamp, or pad.
Times-Virginian.

MORE THRILLING TALES OF SEA ADVENTURE

Thrill-packed stories of the days when the Yankee Clippers ruled the seven seas —a saga of adventure, hardship and heriocs related by Cap'n Dave Landers, one of the last of the old wind ship skippers. Don't miss his great stories in

The American Weekly
the big magazine distributed with
BALTIMORE SUNDAY AMERICAN
On Sale At All Newsstands

NOTICE— This is the time of the year to let Beauty go to your Head! Get a Permanent at special Easter prices, from

ETHEL'S BEAUTY SHOPPE
Mrs. L. H. Ould, prop.

FOR SALE— Lespedeza seed for sale. See Banks Robinson, Route 1.

Male Help Wanted

STEADY WORK —GOOD PAY RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in Appomattox County. No experience or capital required. Write McNESS CO., Candler Bldg., Baltimore, Md.

Salesmen Wanted

WANTED: Man for Rawleigh Route. Permanent if you are a hustler. For particulars write Rawleigh's Dept. VAC-7-103, Richmond, Va.

FOR SALE— Korean Lespedeza seed, cleaned, at 3 1-2 cents in big lots, or 4 cents in small lots. Red clover seed, cleaned, at $7.00 and $6.00 per bu.
B. T. JAMERSON,
(2-27-3tp) Pamplin, Va.

Evergreen

Evergreen, March 18.- Billy Austin, who has been sick, is slowly improving.

Mrs. C. J. Paulette ssent last week with her parents, Mr, and Mrs. B. M Ferguson, in Lynchburg.

Joe Paulette, of Lynchburg spent the week-end at his home here.

W. W. Farrar was a business visitor in Pamplin last Wednesday.

Ryland Staples, who had the doctor with him Sunday, is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. W. A. McDearmon in Lynchburg.

We have heard today that Mrs. Sue Harvey is sick. Hope she will soon be better.

Mrs. Ada Farrar, who has been very ill, is slowly improving.

L. L. Stewart, W. I Austin and others of the paint force, returned to work Monday with the N. & W. at Suffolk.

Germany rushes more troops into Bulgaria.

Yugo-Slavia delays signing pact with Axis.

U. S. ambassador Winant now in London.

S. C. A. MEETING

The S C. A. of Liberty Chapel school held its regular meeting on Thursday, March 13. New goals were set up for the rest of the term.

DEPENDABLE USED CARS FOR OVER 25 YEARS

Our constant policy ever since we sold our first used car has been to make sure of lasting satisfaction in ownership. And we're going to stick to it.

1940 Dodge Deluxe Sedan. Radio heater and seat covers.
1939 Dodge Special Sedan with heater and good tires.
1937 Dodge Deluxe Sedan. Thoroughly reconditioned.
1936 Dodge Touring Sedan. Just overhauled, good tires.
1939 Plymouth Deluxe Sedan. Excellent condition.
1938 Plymouth Deluxe Sedan, with radio and heater.
1939 Buick Series 40 Sedan. Finish like new, good tires.
1939 Chevrolet Master Coupe. Looks and runs like new.
1939 Ford Conv. Coupe with radio, heater and spotlight.
We also have some late model Dodge, Chevrolet and Ford trucks.

JOHN P. HUGHES MOTOR CO., INC.
Phone 2304 800 Commerce St.
Lynchburg, Va.

BOWL FOR HEALTH & FUN . . .

For men- Maynard Gilbert 148, Berkley Guill 130; G. B. Austin 137.
For ladies- Miss Sarah Myers 123; Miss Alice Harwood 116; Mrs. Corbin Robinson 112; Miss Beulah Ferrell 107.
High 3 game score: James Guill 335.

Jamerson Bowling Alley

PALMOLIVE PALMOLIVE PALMOLIVE

Palmolive Soap	3 for 17c
Bath size, Palmolive	4 for 28c
Super Suds	3 for 25c
Klek	3 for 25c
Octagon Soap, large	6 for 25c
Octagon Toilet Soap	3 for 14c
Octagon Granulated	2 for 9c
Octagon Cleanser	2 for 9c

C. S. JENKINS
Appomattox, Va.

Lee Theatre

Friday, Saturday March 21—22
Johnny Mack Brown in SON OF ROARING RAWHIDE and Jean Withers in YOUTH WILL BE SERVED

Monday, March 24
Joan Bennett in
HOUSE ACROSS THE BAY

Tuesday, March 25
ALLEGHANY
THE LAND OF LIBERTY

Wednesday, Thursday March 26-27
GENE AUTRY in
RIDING ON A RAINBOW

FEATS OF POWER

PRAIRIE DOGS DUG AN UNDERGROUND CITY 250 MILES LONG IN THE GREAT PLAINS

UNDER ANY CONDITIONS YOU'LL GO FAR WITH

ESSO EXTRA

PUTS MUSCLE IN YOUR MOTOR

The Poorest Place to Tell a Lie!

IT has been said by some of our radical reformers that advertising misleads the public.

Such accusations fall under their own weight.

The poorest place in the world to attempt a lie is in the advertising columns of American newspapers and magazines, and in American radio programs.

In the first place, our publishers and broadcasting companies wouldn't carry dishonest advertising. They outlawed it long ago.

In the second place, such efforts to mislead would be conducted in full view of the public and of the officials empowered to apply fraud laws.

In the third place, dishonest advertising is as inefficient as dirty football. It does not pay.

Informed people have lost interest in the advertising-baiting books and speeches of the radical self-appointed reformers since one after another of them has figured prominently before the House Special Committee on un-American Activities.

Courtesy Nation's Business

CONCENTRATED Super Suds Concentrated

Palmolive Soap	3 for 17c
Bath size, Palmolive	4 for 28c
Super Suds	3 for 25c
Klek	3 for 25c
Octagon Soap, large	6 for 25c
Octagon Toilet Soap	3 for 14c
Octagon Granulated	2 for 9c
Octagon Cleanser	2 for 9c

R. B. HALEY
Appomattox, Va.

A Complete County Newspaper

TIMES - VIRGINIAN

Historic Appomattox Virginia

A Live Weekly Newspaper Serving the Heart of Virginia's Great Dark Tobacco Belt, at Historic Appomattox Where War Ended April 9, 1865

Volume 49 Number 13 » $1.50 Per Year » APPOMATTOX, VIRGINIA « Thursday March 27, 1941 « Established 1892

Local P.-T. A. Had Busy Meeting Wed. In County Library

The Appomattox P.- T. A. met Wednesday afternoon in the county library. Professor L. Crawley presided, and appointed Mrs. L. E. Conner, Mrs. R. W. Jamerson and Miss Myrtle Smith as members of the committee to nominate P. -T. A. officers for next year. Election of new officers will take place at the April meeting.

Miss Virginia Christian gave a report of the District Student Cooperative Association meeting held at the Appomattox school March 14. She stated that 433 students from four counties registered on that day.

Announcement was again made of the District P. -T. A. meeting which meets here on April 22, and at which a committee of local P.-T. A. members will serve lunch.

The P. -T A agreed to serve a banquet, which the county teachers plan as a part of their April meeting. The committee for this will be announced later.

Mr. Crawley, Miss Flora Bell-Williams and Miss Mary Savedge, who attended an education meeting in Farmville on Tuesday, made brief reports on the activities of the committees in which they had a part. The next one of these meetings will be held in Farmville on May 16. Patrons were asked to plan to attend.

The Cafeteria Committee reported that the cafeteria had been screened, and with all expenses paid there was a balance of $276.92. The committee was asked to make suggestions as to what new equipment should be purchased for the cafeteria.

The members voted to donate $6 to pay for the printing of programs for the S. C. A. meeting and $10 to the grades for the purchase of recreational material.

Mr. Crawley named a committee to formulate tentative objectives for next year. The committee is made up of three patrons, three teachers, and three pupils: Miss Harriet Hosley, chairman; Miss Nola Burkey, Mrs. Sue Christian, Mrs. H. C. Staples, Mrs R W Jamerson, Mrs. P. M Burton, Miss Margaret Stratton, Billy Moses and Frank Dresser.

Chap News

Chap, March 25.- The new house of Mellvyn Hackney was destroyed by fire early Thursday A. M. All of its contents burned.

Mrs. W. H. Ferguson is much better after a severe spell of neuritis.

Everette Ferguson and family, Frank Fleshman and wife, visited W. H. Ferguson on Sunday recently.

Dean Fogh and family spent Sunday afternoon in the home of G. T. Marsh.

Robert Layne and family spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. S. B. Fore.

Tech.- Sgt. Eugene Wood, of New York, spent the week-end with home people.

Nathan Powell, of Brockneal spent last week here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mann spent the night recently with Mrs. Brooks, of Lynchburg, who is ill.

Town Council meets April 7.

Let us figure with you on your next job printing requirements.

Mrs. Tom Page, Mrs. W. C. Bass, Dick Bass, Albert Page, Samuel Page and Pete Doss spent Sunday in Farmville.

506,000 to Get Work on Ships

Labor Department Surveys Prospects in Marine Building Field.

WASHINGTON. — The labor department estimates that about 506,000 new jobs would be created by June, 1942, as the result of government contracts already made for shipbuilding—a figure which does not include a multitude of additional workers needed for the proposed emergency ship construction program or private projects.

The department, reporting to the national defense commission, said that 126,000 workers were employed in construction of government vessels in November, 1940, and that 253,400 more would be required by June, 1942. It added that about the same number of additional workers would be needed to produce raw and processed material for the shipyards.

British Orders Excepted.

The estimate included only workers needed for construction of new ships financed from federal funds, and did not cover those working in repair service, or engaged in producing ships for private enterprise, or for the British government.

Nor does the estimate include the number needed to build the 200 "emergency" merchant ships of 7,500 tons each which President Roosevelt has recommended and which congress now is considering.

The department said that, since last June, work had been started on 54,079,000,000 worth of ships and that work still was in progress on an additional $676,000,000 worth of vessels started prior to that time. These latter were construction of 643 naval and maritime commission vessels.

The maritime commission, in an annual report to congress, said its ship construction program was well ahead of schedule and that the carrying power of the nation's merchant marine was superior to 1938 despite a decrease in the number of vessels due to scrapping of some old tonnage and sales to foreign nations.

The increase in carrying capacity, the commission said, results from the fact that the new ships generally have a minimum speed of 15½ knots as compared with an average of 10 knots for older vessels and thus can make more trips. Another factor is increased cubic capacity of the new ships.

Advance in Program.

As originally drafted, the construction program called for contracting for 50 vessels a year for a 10-year period. An accelerated rate of construction, prompted by the European war situation, will result in the awarding of contracts for 200 craft by July 1, 1941, the commission said. This represents a six-month advance over the program as originally contemplated.

(Again this figure does not include the 200 emergency ship program.)

As of October 1, 1940, the commission has awarded contracts for 177 vessels grossing 1,407,281 tons. Forty-seven of these have been delivered.

About 100 of the ships have been contracted for by private operators, who have made commitments for the charter of 35 others.

The acquisition of this new tonnage

Mrs. Wirt Ayers is ill at this writing.

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It was the pleasure of your correspondent from this place to attend the second quarterly conference of the Appomattox Circuit, which met at the Mt. Comfort church the 25th inst. The official board of each of the four churches on the circuit was represented. The district superintendent, Dr. H. B. Clarke, of Lynchburg, presided. Rev. L. C. Shearer, of Appomattox addressed the conference, on the importance of Christian Education, which was followed by an inspiring address on missions by Rev. H. C. Palmore, who served on the mission fields in Japan. We were also delighted to have with us, Rev. H. M Burleigh, of Prospect, who gave us a very appealing address on evangelism. Friends of Mr. Burleigh in this county have a very pleasant memory of him as a student in the ministerial work, for which he has very carefully prepared himself.

Miss Marietta McGehee, of Appomattox visited in the home of Mrs. John Gunter Tuesday night.

Friends of Carter Marin entertained for him Saturday night in the home of Mrs. Mollie S. Garrette. Those participating were:

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gunter, Miss Louise Lewis, Miss Rachel Harvey, Miss Sara Drinkard, Miss Bessie Gunter, Miss Alfra Garrette, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Garrette, Messrs. Norman Jones, Karl Wayne, Joseph and Garland Garrette and William O'Brien. Games were enjoyed. Refreshments were served. Green and white were the predominating colors. In a short while Carter will go to the military training camp. The best wishes of his many friends go with him. He will be greatly missed by his church, Sunday School and community, where he plays an active part.

News From Rocks

Rocks, March 26.- Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Martin, of Lynchburg attended Sunday School at Rocks Sunday. Others attending included Miss Rosa Martin, of Radford, Miss Pearl Foster, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson, of Piney River and Richard Inge, of Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carter spent Sunday afternoon in Lynchburg with Mr. and Mrs. Harry St. John.

Henry Goin was ill last Sunday.

G. H. Ranson, who was sick on Monday night, is better.

A number of the Rocks B. T. U. members went to Spring Creek Friday night.

Miss Jennie Baldwin spent last week with Mrs. C.W. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs Sherman Garling, house were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Ranson Wednesday night.

Misses Etta Ranson and Annie C. Martin spent Sunday with Miss Ethel Garrett.

Mrs. R. C. Baldwin will spend this week in the home of her uncle, Luther Ferguson, near Hollywood.

C S. Ranson was called back to work near Richmond last week.

Richard Inge, of Fort George G. Meade, Maryland, spent last weekend at his home near Evergreen.

A A. Baldwin and Cassie spent Sunday afternoon at Pamplin with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brightwell.

YOUTH DIES FOLLOWING FALL FROM BICYCLE

A tragic accident late Thursday afternoon caused the death of 12-year-old Daniel Joseph Ligon, son of Peter Ligon and the late Mrs. Alice Ligon, of Appomattox.

The lad, whose bright disposition and attractive personality endeared him to a host of friends, was thrown from his bicycle while riding on the high school campus. He rode his bicycle to his home, only a few blocks away. He soon complained of inward pains and nausea, and a doctor was called. There were no outer or outward evidences of injury, but due to his intense suffering, it was decided to rush him to a hospital. He died en route.

He is survived by his father, two sisters, Barbara Ligon, of Appomattox, and Betty Ligon, of Wytheville; and three brothers, Paul, and Chester Ligon, of Appomattox, and Harman Ligon, of Fort Knox, Kentucky. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon, with interment at Road Fork, Ky.

Mrs. Ligon, mother of the lad, died just a month before this tragedy. Deepest sympathy of the community is extended the bereaved family.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. H. F. Jones, Pastor

Beginning Sunday a series of pre-Easter services.

11 A. M. The Triumphal Entry
8 P. M. Cleansing the Church.

Both choirs will render special music. Come and you will come again.

First Legless Aviator Now WPA Timekeeper

SEATTLE.—George Copping, 34, a WPA time keeper who studied flying in his spare time, claims distinction as the world's only legless pilot.

He began his flying lessons in October, 1938. After working hours on his federal job, he was employed as handyman at a flying school.

Three months after starting his aviation course, Copping was making solo hops.

Youth Saves Up Pennies To Pay for His Wedding

RALEIGH, N. C.—Four years ago, Van H. Womble of New Hill—then only 19 years old—began saving his pennies to get married.

He walked into the office of Registrar of Deeds Hunter Ellington the other day and handed over 500 pennies for a license to wed Jessie Mae White, 20, of Graham.

Womble paid the officiating minister with $10 in pennies.

Blindness No Handicap To Successful Farmer

OLYMPIA, WASH.—Nels B. Haugland, blind for 35 years, ranks as one of southwest Washington's most successful farmers.

Now 70 years old, Holland carries on his farm duties with deftness and efficiency. He has a herd of 16 cows on his 80-acre tract 16 miles south of here.

Holland lost his sight in Minnesota as the result of a logging accident.

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet tonight at 6:30.

Subscription rate: $1.50 a year, payable in advance.

Mayor Urges Precautions in Kite-Flying

Local parents were warned today to caution their children about kite flying hazards in a statement issued by Mayor C. S. McDearmon.

The issuance of the statement was prompted, Mayor McDearmon said, by the approach of spring weather which invariably brings a horde of children into the streets and fields to practice the enjoyable and healthful sport of kite flying.

He admonished parents, however, to point to the hazards involved. The ever-increasing automobile traffic in the streets presents the danger of children being run over when they are flying kites. He advised the parents to tell the children to fly kites in the fields or on streets with the least amount of automobile traffic. He particularly pointed to the extremely dangerous conditions which prevail on the highways where traffic is naturally speedier than in the town. Careful observance of safety precautions such as being careful not to dash out in the path of an approaching vehicle, are of paramount importance.

Mr. McDearmon further cautioned parents to advise their children against the use of any sort of metal in the making of a kite, or any kind of tinsel string or wire of any kind either on the kite itself or for use as a string. This precaution is important, he stated, because a kite containing metal or having a tinsel or wire string coming in contact with energized electric lines might result in a severe shock and, under certain conditions, in a serious accident. The safest thing to do is to be careful where the child is permitted to fly the kite, but under no circumstance should the kite have any metal whatever.

Climbing of trees and poles to retrieve entangled kites was another danger pointed to. Also from the hills that might be sustained from poles and trees, children have sometimes received serious injuries from falls resulting from the breaking of rotted tree branches.

Mr. McDearmon concluded his statement with, "Children should not be denied the joy and pleasure of kite flying. In fact, the activity which brings the child into the open air and sunlight should be encouraged. But as in all things, children should be taught the primary rules of safety in order that an otherwise most healthful sport might not result in a sad tragedy. If parents will teach the child what not to do, there is little chance for accidents. They need remember that kites should have no metal, that they should be flown only in back streets and even then with the greatest care being exercised against the dangers of vehicular traffic, and that it is best to abandon a kite rather than to risk life and limb to retrieve it."

ATTENDED CHURCH MEETING

A group of young people from the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church attended the meetings and banquet of the spring rally of the West Hanover Presbytery at Orange Saturday. The delegates attending were Kennon, Laura and Ellen Kinney, Marian Tune Evans and Douglas McKenzie. One of the advisors, Mrs. L. C. McKenzie, accompanied them.

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Anniversary Planned At Local CCC Camp; Work Is Reviewed

On Friday, April 4, Camp NP28, Appomattox, Va., will celebrate the occasion of the eighth anniversary of the Civilian Conservation Corps, with an open house at the camp and at Old Appomattox Court House, scene of Lee's surrender to Grant, the area which the camp is developing.

The Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument, a unit of the National Park Service, commemorates the ending of the War Between the States and the reunion of America. Company 1351, Camp NP28, Colored Veterans of the First World War, came to the area, July 22, 1941.

National Park Service plans call for the reconstruction of the McLean House, where the famous meeting of Lee and Grant occurred April 9, 1865, reconstruction of the old court house building, and restoration of existing historic houses. The old court house burned in 1892. M. E. Dunlap, of Niagra Falls, N. Y, had the McLean House torn down in 1893 for re-erection as a museum in Washington; the museum proposal was not carried out, however, and the dismantled surrender house moldered on the ground. After the rebuilding of the court house at a new site, now the town of Appomattox, the old village declined. One of the first jobs undertaken by the men of Camp NP28 was the removal of honeysuckle and the dense corpses of locust trees that had grown around the "deserted village." Next they began the removal of non-historic structures and the preliminary reconditioning of the old houses to be restored. During the coming months more clearing will be done to approximate the 18.5 appearance of the village and further work on the restoration of the historic houses will be undertaken. Another CCC job of importance is fire hazard reduction in the wooded areas of the Monument.

In the near future a by-pass road, to be a part of Virginia Highway 24, will be built around the old village in order that the village site can be completely restored to its historic appearance. At present, Highway 24 runs directly through the village. Rock for this by-pass road has been gathered and crushed by the CCC men and more is to be obtained soon and a quarry to be opened on park property.

Most interesting of the developments at the Old Court House is the excavation of the McLean House site. Here CCC enrollees are carefully digging out the foundation bounds preparatory to the actual work of reconstruction. An historical study of the house and its appearance has been completed, based on old writings, photographs, drawings and plans made at the time of the demolition of the house. P. C. Hubard of Lynchburg drew the plans for C. W. Hancock, the Appomattox contractor hired to handle the job in 1893. These plans and Hancock's specifications for the rebuilding were purchased by the Government last year from the late Mr. Hancock's sons and Mr. Hubard, still a resident of Lynchburg.

The open house program on April 4 will be informal in nature. At the camp, on Virginia Highway 24, just east of Appomattox, camp officials will be on duty from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. and from 1 p. m. to 3:30 p.m. to conduct visitors around the camp and to explain camp life. Refreshments will be served. At the Old Court House, technicians will be available to show visitors around the village and to explain the history of the area and development plans. Photographs delineating the CCC work in progress will be on display.

Hubert A. Gurney is Acting Superintendent of the Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument. The CCC supervisory personnel includes Earl I. Garner, Project Superintendent; Carlton Price, Senior Foreman (Engineer); Forrest Scott, Tazwell Tinder, Russell Almond; Mechanic Samuel H. Martin; and Junior Historical Technician Ralph Happel. The archeologist for the area is Preston Holder. Army personnel is composed of Dale C. Honeycutt, Company Commander; John Oxford, Subaltern; Dr. Norton M. Gratz, Camp Physician; and Charles H. Clark, Educational Advisor.

All of these officials, a spokesman stated recently, welcome the interest of the local people and enjoy their visits, not only on special occasions, such as the Anniversary Open House, but throughout the year.

Park Headquarters at the Old Village are located in the Ferguson House, the large yellow house just across Highway 24 from the old jail, about three miles east of the town of Appomattox.

A White Robin!

A robin is the first sign of spring, but how about a White Robin! Last Sunday a white robin, quite a rare visitor in this section, was seen in Appomattox. The bird was a visitor on the estate of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burks, who fed the flock of which it was a part, and called in their neighbors to view the prize guest.

Rates Reduced

The Water Company of Appomattox announces a reduction in water rates and an increase in the minimum of water allowable, in a special notice to be found on Page Eight of this issue. The new rate, of $2.25 minimum, will be effective April 1, and will be shown on the May 1 billing.

The water company has been under its present management for six months, during which time a number of improvements have been made.

NAMED MEMBERS OF DEFENSE COUNCIL

Governor James H. Price has announced the appointment of three Appomattox men as members of the South Side Virginia Defense Council. They are: Charles F. James, Don Moses and Calvin H. Robinson.

PAMPLIN BALL TEAM

The Pamplin high school opened its 1941 baseball season against the Buckingham high school March 25, Buckingham won the opening game, 9 to 2. C. H. Fugate is coaching the Pamplin team, which plays Darlington Heights at Pamplin Friday.

J. P. ANDREWS

His many friends in Appomattox are grieved to hear of the death of James P. Andrews, of Buckingham. Mr. Andrews died at the Veterans Hospital in Roanoke Monday night following a brief illness.

For the past twenty-five years he had been associated with the State Forestry Department, and the Virginia Soil Conservation and had been in charge of the office at Farmville.

Memorial Methodist Church

Sunday March 30, 1941

9:45 A. M. Sunday School
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. The pastor will preach. Sermon subject: 'A Labor of Love.'
7 P. M. Young Peoples' meetings
7:45 P. M. Evening Worship. Continuing a special emphasis on missions, a motion picture, "A Day in an African Village" will be shown.

CIVICS CLUB

The Civics Club had its regular meeting March 21 in Miss Virginia Christian's room. Peggy Whitten and Dorcas Weakley had charge of the program. Beulah Cheatham was the winner in a spelling match. The president appointed Elaine Phelps and Mildred Smith to get up the next program.
—Reporter, Ariana Ferguson.

SOFTBALL TEAM

Fifty-two girls reported for softball practice last week at the Appomattox high school, and since then several others have expressed a desire to play. All but one member of last year's first team are back in school this year and a splendid season is expected. In a meeting held in the room of Miss Virginia Christian, the coach, Harriett Cale was elected manager and Catherine Christian assistant manager. The captain will be chosen later. The group, at this meeting, discussed rules for playing, and means of raising money for the team.

New airline subsidy is approved.

Appomattox is a growing town.

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